## The State Office of Victim Assistance Career Fairs/Events



## **Have You Heard About SOVA?**

The South Carolina Crime Victims' Compensation Fund is a financial assistance program designed to help victims with expenses directly resulting from a crime that are not covered by other payment sources. It is administered by the State Office of Victim Assistance (SOVA), and is governed by state and federal laws. If victims qualify and meet the eligibility requirements for the program, certain costs for recovery treatment or burial arrangements up to the maximum allowed by law; which is \$15,000, may be considered with proper documents.



## **How Can SOVA Help Your Organization At Your Next Event?**

- Set up and monitor a SOVA display booth/table
- Share resources
- Available to answer questions about SOVA benefits and services
- Provide information on the crime victims' compensation program
- Conduct training for your organization on the compensation program
- Provide agency publication material
- Work in a collaborative effort to educate the community
- Network and build partnerships

## We Want To Share Ideas and Build Lasting Partnerships To Help Crime Victims!

If your organization would like SOVA to participate in your event or provide training in your area, please contact Laura Oliver, SOVA Outreach Coordinator at (803) 734-0484 or Ethel Douglas Ford, CPM, SOVA Deputy Director at (803) 734-1704.